

RESOLUTION NO. 20080214-057

WHEREAS, the City has adopted certain procedures and policies for the establishment of sister city relationships; and

WHEREAS, a candidate sister city committee for the establishment of sister city relationships between the City and the City of Antalya, Turkey has been formed; and

WHEREAS, the City Council believes that the proposed sister city relationship between the City and the City of Antalya will promote and facilitate a greater understanding of the cultural, economic and educational ideals of the two communities and their citizenry; and

WHEREAS, the City of Antalya has adopted a similar resolution and taken similar actions to establish a sister city relationship with the City;


NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:

The City Council establishes a sister city relationship between the City and the City of Antalya, Turkey and authorizes the Mayor to execute a sister city Agreement to establish that relationship. The City Manager is authorized to take all appropriate steps to implement this resolution.

ADOPTED: February 14, 2008

ATTEST:


Shirley A. Gentry
City Clerk